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ARRIVALS

April 22, ANCONA, British steamer, 3,081, R. G.

April 23, Benledt, British steamer, 1,000, W

April 23, Roullia, British steamer, 2,251, W

April 23, Ningro, British str., 761, Ranford,

April 23, Bellehophon, British steamer, 1,396.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

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Murray, Bombay 5th April, and Singapore

17th, Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

S. Thomson, Nagasaki 17th April, Coal,-

Barratt, Shanghai 20th April, Mails and

Canton 23rd April, General.—SIEMSSEN

T. W. Freeman, Shanghai 18th April,

Swatow 22nd, General.—BUTTERFIELD

Y. APRIL 24cm, 1884.

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Swine. April 23, Glencoe, British steamor, 1,900, E.	NAPIER JOHNSTONE'S SCOTCH	Hongkong, 1st June, 1882. [8
F. Park, Bangkok 18th April, Rico.—JAR- DINE, MATHESON & Co.	WHISKY, a very fine old Spirit, in Square	HONGKONG & SHANGHAIBANKING CORPORATION.
	Bottles. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	PAYD-YR CARPERT \$5,000,000
AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.	Hongkong, 21st March, 1884.	INSTALMENT received 82,074,744.75.
APRIL 23ED.	GREAT CLEARANCE SALE.	RESURVED FUND: \$2,500,000.
Euxine, British steamer, for Saigon. Castello, British steamer, for Shanghai.	AT T. N. DRISCOLL'S	MIUM received on \$1,563,361.66.
Perle, British bark, for Tientsin. Glenogle, British steamer, for Shanghai.	THE whole of the STOCK to be Sold at less than English Cost.	\$4,063,361.66.
Atalanta, German steamer, for Swatow. Tetuan, British bark, for Newchwang.	Special advantages offered in the	Court of Directors — Chairman—A. P. McEwen, Esq.
Timor, British steamer, for Singapore.	TAILORING AND OUTFITTING	Deputy Chairman—F. D. Sassoon, Esq. H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. A. Gültzow, Esq. M. E. Sassoon, Esq.
DEPARTURES.	DEPARTMENTS FOR CASH.	M. Grote, Esq. W. H. Forbes, Esq. C. D. Bottomley, Esq.
April 23, Godavery, French steamer, for Yokoliama.	No. 6, Queen's Read. Hongkong, 29th March, 1884. 658	CHIEF MANAGER. Hong!:ong-Thomas Jackson, Esq. MANAGER.
April 23, Benclutha, British steamer, for Canton.		Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq. London Bankers—London & County Hank.
April 23, ALWINE, Gorman steamer, for Quinhon.	TO BE LET.	Hongkong-Interest Allowed.
April 23, FOOKSANG, British str., for Canton. April 23, Ava. French str., for Shanghai.	TO LET. O. 49, WYNDHAM STREET.	On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per Annum on the daily balance. On Eixed Deposits:—
April 23, Octack, British str., for Shanghai. April 23, Polyhymnia, Gor. str., for Shanghai.	Apply to	For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum.
April 23. Glenogle, British str.; for Shanghai. April 23, Timor, British str., for Australia.	J. J. DOS REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1884. [819]	For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
	TO BE LET. A FURNISHED HOUSE in one of the	CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
PASSENGERS. ARRIVED.	For Particulars address	DEAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,
Per Benledi, str., from Nogasaki.—2 Chinese. Per Ancona, str., for Hongkong.—From Lon-	J. D. B., Care of "Daily Press" Office. Hongkong, 27th March, 1884. [651]	America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
don.—Miss O. Josephs and maid, Capt. and Mrs. G. D. Morant and infant, 3 daughters, and maid,	TO LET.	Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East,
Assist. Paymoster E. Kely, Mr. C. Holden. From Bombay.—Mesars. Pereira and Gomes.	BASEMENT, and 1st and 2nd FLOORS.	Hongkong, 2nd April, 1884. [7
From Brindisi.—Messrs. Silverlock, W. L. Hunter, and G. Pearce. From Ponang.—50 Chinese. From Singapore.—Mr. Gum Huke	Apply to NAM HING LOONG, Hongkong, 11th April, 1884. [754]	NOTICES OF FIRMS.
and servant, and 50 Chinese. For Shanghai.—. From London.—Mr. R. Wilson. From Colom-	Hongkong, 11th April, 1884. [754]	NOTICE.
bo.—Mr. Walker. From Brindisi.—Miss S. Ramsay, Messrs. Sentance, J. H. Evans, Daw-	ROAD. CAINE	THE CO-PARTNERSHIP OF "STEPHENS & HOLMES" hitherto existing having
barn, G. Clarke, J. H. Allen, J. Hawyes, W. King, E. Gammon, Potter, Hague, W. P. Evans, W. White, and McDonald From Penang.—	No. 6, Upper Mosque Terrace.	THIS DAY expired by effluxion of Time, Mr. STEPHENS will from This Date carry on Busi-
Mr., Mrs., and Miss Kole Scang Tat, and 2 servants. For Hiogo.—From London.—Miss Her-	Possession from 1st May. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.	trein This Date also carry on Business alone in
bert. For Yekohania.—From Colombo.—Mr. and Mrs. Gale. From Singapore.—Dr. Bontly,	Hongkong, 7th April, 1884. [723]	MATTHEW J. D. STEPHENS. HENRY J. HOLMES.
and servant. Per Robilla, str., from Shanghai.—For Hong-	POOMS in CLUB CHAMBERS.	Hongkong, 1st April, 1884. [674.
kong.—Mrs. Wallace, 2 infants and amab, and 13 Chinese. For Singapore.—Messrs. J. R. Reddie, and A. Thurburn and servant. For	Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.	NOTICE.
Bombay.—Mr. A. R. Pestonjee. Per Bellerophon, str., from Shanghai and	Hongkong, 1st February, 1882. [28]	THE PARTNERSHIP between Messrs, STE- THENS AND HOLMES having expired on 31st March, 1884, I have This DAY RE-
Swatow.—For London.—Mr. Much and family, Mr. Sayle and family, and Miss Eagley. For	TO BE LET.	MOVED my Office to No. 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road Central, opposite Peddar's Street.
Hongkong—610 Chinese. Per Glencoe, str., from Bangkok.+Mr. E.	Apply on the Premises. No. 1, DUDDELL STREET.	MATTHEW J. D. STEPHENS. Hongkong, 1st April, 1884. [696]
Preston and 51 Chinese. DEPARTED.	Hongkong, 3rd April, 1884. [699]	NOTICE.
Per Amoy, steamer, for Shanghai.—Mr. Rief. Per Timor, steamer, for Sydney.—Mrs. Ph.	TO LET. OS. 3, 7, and 8, SEYMOUR TERRACE.	THE PARTNERSHIP between Messra, STEPHENS & HOLMES, Solicitors,
Grimble.	No. 4, OLD BAILEY STREET. No. 7, GARDEN ROAD, (known us HARPER-	terminated on the 31st March, 1884, and the undersigned will continue to practice in his
SHANGHAI SHIPPING.	No. 25B, PRAYA CENTRAL.	own name at No. 24, Queen's Road, adjoining the Hougkong Dispensary.
April— Arrivals. S. Kiang-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpö.	Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 28th June, 1883.	HENRY J. HOLMES. Hongkong, 1st April, 1884.
8. Kinng-foo, Chinese str., from Hankow. 8. Bellerophon, British str., from London.	Hongkong, 28th June, 1883. [27] TO LET.	THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY,
8, Vladivostock, Russian str., from Nagasaki. 8, Albatross, British sloop, from a cruise. 8, Changehow, British str., from Taiwanfoo.	OFFICES at No. 8, PRAYA CENTRAL, facing the Harbour on Ground Floor of	LIMITED.
8. El Dorado, British str., from Newchwang. 9. Tunsin, British str., from Ningpo.	Blook occupied by the Messageries Maritimes.	NOTICE. NAME SAMUEL I GOWER has THE
9, Fungshun, Chinese str., from Tientsin. 9, Kumasako Maru, Jap. bark, from K'notzu.	W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co., No. 6, Praya Central, Hongkong, 2nd April, 1884 [691]	R. SAMUEL J. GOWER has THIS DAY been appointed SECRETARY to the above Company.
10, Kiang-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. 10, Taku, British str., from Foochow. 10, Kwa Hsing, Chinese str., for a cruise.	TO BE LET.	By Order of the Board of Directors, E. R. BELILIOS,
10, Ngankin, British str., from Hankow. 10, Goakai Maru, Japanese str., from Japan.	as "BELLEVUE."	Hongkong, 1st April, 1884. Chairman. [678
10. Glonongles, British str., from London. 10. Posang, British str., from Hongkong.	Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS. Hongkong, 7th April, 1884. [724]	NOTICE.
 Ningpo, British str., from Hongkong. Telemachus, British str., from Liverpool. Doretta, Siamese brig, from Nagasaki. 	STORAGE.	R. CHARLES ALEXANDER TOMES is authorized to sign our name by Pro-
11, Sual, British str., from Hankow. 11, Kung Wo, British str., from Hankow.	THE Undersigned are Prepared to take COAL and COODS of all descriptions,	curation, in Hongkong, from this date. RUSSELL & Co.
11, Tunsin, British str., from Ningpo. 11, Yangtsze, British str., from Hongkong.	on STORAGE, at reduced rates. Apply to	Hongkong, 24th March, 1884. [632]
11, Hideyoshi Maru, Jap. str., from Nagasaki. 11, Ingo, German str., from Nagasaki. 11, Sin Nanzing, British str., from Tientsin.	LINSTEAD & DAVIS. Hongkong, 8th April, 1884. [727]	KELLY AND WALSH
11, Glenelg; British str., from Japan. 12, Kiang-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo.	TO. LET. With Immediate Possession.	Air and Spring Guns—a capital source of amusement for homeward-bound passengers. New Birthday Cards.
12, Yungning, Chinese str., from Wenchow. 12, Wuchang, British str., from Tientsin.	HOUSE No. 27, ELGIN TERRACE.	Cement of Pempeii, the New Cement for stick- ing Glass, China, &c.
12, Stosch, German frigate, from Amoy. 12, Cristoforo Colombo, Ital. corv., from Amoy. 12, Mary Stewart, Brit. bk., from Singapore.	Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS.	Mackinnon and Stylographic Pens. Automatic Copying Pencils.
12, Ingeborg, British str., from Nagasaki. 12, Kiang-yung, Chinese str., from Hankow.	Hongkong, 5th April, 1884. [714.	Numbering Machines. New Plaques and Hand Painted Terra Cotta Ware.
13, Wayerley, British str., from Tientsin. 13, Hae-shin, Chinese str., from Pescadores.	NO. 9, MOSQUE TERRACE.	NEW, BOOKS.
13, Fuyew, Chinese str., from Pescadores. 13, Tunsin, British str., from Ningpo. 13, Yung-ching, Chinese str., from Tientsin.	HOUSES in Spring Gardens, at moderate Rontals	McCormick's Voyages of Discovery in the
13. Shanghai, British str., from Hankow. 14. Chihaya Marn, Jap. bk., from Kuchinotzu.	GODOWNS, EAST and WEST POINTS. Apply to	Antarctic and Arctic Seas. Burton's The Book of the Sword. Bedford's Sailor's Hand Book (an entirely New
14. Has ting, Chinese str., from Tientsin. 14. Kwang-lee, British str., from Tientsin.	Hongkong, 8th February, 1884. [334]	Book). Men of the Time—New Edition.
14, Kowshing, British str., from Tientsin. April— DEPARTURES.	TO BE LET. T ARGE and SMALL COAL GODOWNS	New Franklin Square and Sea Side Libraries. Pole on the Philosophy of Whist.
8, Sooloo, British bark, for Chefoo. 8, Tokio Maru, Japanese str., for Nagasaki.	Apply to	Watt's The Art of Soup Making. Capt Lightwood's New Waltz "Everthineown." Carpenter's Energy in Nature.
8, Wonchow, British atr., for Tientsin. 8, Kiang-yu, Chinese str., for Hankow.	Hongkong, 5th January, 1884. [98	
8. Has an, Chinese str., for Tientsin. 8. Ching King, British str., for Chefoo. 8. Kiang-teen, Chinese str., for Ningpo.	TO BE LET. From 1st April, 1884.	Percival's Life of Sir David Wedderburn. Goodrich's British Eloquence embracing the
9, Full Wo, British str., for Hankow, 9, Greatham Hall, Brit. str., for Tientsin.	Rehemoabhoy Habbibhoy, No. 46, in	Dr. Manson's Filoria Sanguinis Hominis and
9, Pautah, Chinese str., for Chefoo. 9, Peking, British str., for Hongkong.	Lyndhurst Terrace. Apply to H. M. M. ALLY & Co.	certain new forms of Parasitic diseases in China. KELLY & WALSH.—HONGKONG. [25]
9. W. C. de Vries, British str., for Hankow. 9. Yeritemo Maru, Jap. str., for Kuchinetza. 9. Tunsin, British str., for Ningpo.	Hongkong, 29th February, 1884. [459]	
10, Thames, British str., for Hongkong. 10, Changehow, British str. for Newshware	COALS TAKEN ON STORAGE at mode-	HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS, WYNDHAM STREET, HOAGKONG.
10, El Dorado, British str., for Tientsih. 10, Kinng-teen, Chinese str. for Ningra	Apply to MEYER & Co. Hongkong 1st February, 1884. [270]	THE Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hougkong and the Coast Ports that
11, Fung-shun, Chinose str., for Tientsin. 11, Kiang-foo, Chinose str., for Hankow. 11, Stentor, British str., for London.	TTONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS.	HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS
11, Vladivostock, Russian str., for Nagasaki 11, Reporter, American ship, for Nagasaki	Goods received on STORAGE at Mederate Rates, in First-class Godowns.	The whole of the Rooms have been New 13. FURNISHED throughout, and there are Rooms suitable for either Married Couples or Single
11. Tunsin, British str., for Ningpo. 12, Ngankin, British str., for Hankow.	Entire GODOWNS to be LET	persons. The Table is supplied with the best the
12, Kinng-teen, Chinese str., for Ningpo. 13, Kung Wo, British str., for Hankow.	Apply to MEYER & Co Hongkong, 3rd March, 1881. [1057	market can provide. The Wines and Liquons supplied, both at
13, Sin Nanzing, British str., for Tientsin.		the bar and table, are of the VERY BEST

13. Wuchang, British str., for Tientsin.

13. Enterprise, U.S. corrette, for Canton,

13, Ingo, German str., for Nagasaki.

13. Suid, British str., for Hankow.

14. Punely, British str., for Mingra.

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RIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.	PUBLIC 2
(Incorporated by Royal Charter).	THE Undersigned he from Mr. H. L.

LONDON BANKERS:

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IONS. AUCTION. has received instructions MATHER to Sell by CAPITAL \$500,000 PAID-UP CAPITAL £1,500,000, Public Anotion RESERVE LIABILITY UN- 21500,000 DER CHARTER the 24th April, 1884, at 12 o'clock Noon, at his Residence, First Floor of No. 121, Wing-Lok Street, near the Harbour Master's Office,

BANK OF ENGLAND. THE WHOLE OF HIS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., Union Bank of London, Limited BANK OF SCOTLAND, LONDON. Comprising :--: CHAIRS, EASY CHAIRS RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED OTTOMAN, ENGRAVINGS ON DEPOSITS: At 3 Months' Notice, 3 per Cent. per Annum. At 6 Months' Notice, 4 per Cent. per Annum. CARPET, SIDEBOARD, CROCKERY GLASS, and PLATED WARE, Double IRON At 12 Months' Notice, 5 per Cent. per Amum. BEDSTEAD, WARDROKE, Iron and Current Accounts kept on Terms which may Wooden COTS, TOILET TABLE, WASHbe learnt on application. STAND. J. MELVILLE MATSON, TERMS OF SALE -As Customary. Manager. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Hongkong, 1st June, 1882.

Hongkong, 23rd April, 1884 CORPORATION. FURNITURE SALE. PAID-UP CAPITAL ... \$5,000,000. T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will Sell by INSTALMENT received 3 82.074.744.75. Public Auction, at the Residence of Capt. on New Shares...

HUNTER, No. 7, Soymour Terraco, THIS DAY, the 24th April, 1884, at 2 o'clock P.M. HIS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE CRETONNE COVERED COUCHES and CHAIRS, MIRRORS, PICTURES PIANO by COLLARD and COLLARD, CAR-PET, CROCKERY, GLASS, and PLATED WARE, SIDEBOARD, WHATNOT, FEN-Deputy Chairman-F. D. Sassoon, Esq. DERS and FIRE IRONS, IRON BED-LORING AND OUTFITTING H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. A. McIver, Esq. M. E. Sassoon, Esq. STEADS, WARDROBE with Mirror Front, MARBLE TOP WASHSTAND, DRESS-W. H. Furbes, Esq. O. D. Buttomley, Esq. ING STAND with Mirror. Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE.—As customary

> Hongkong, 21st April, 1884 PUBLIC AUCTION On Current Deposit Account at the rate of A VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY.

LANE, CRAWRORD & Co.,

FILE Undersigned has received instructions 1 to Sell by Public Austion. TO-MORROW CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and the 25th April, 1884, on the Premises, every description of Banking and Exchange at 8 P.M., By direction of the OWNER.

Lot 1.—All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND

situate in Tai-ping-shan, measuring on the North 80 feet, on the South 80 feet, on the order, having recently been thoroughly over-7, and 8, in Yeong Lok Lane, thereon. Let 2.—All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND | consequent additions to the Fleet. and 12, Upper Station Street, Nos. 1, 2, and up Capital will be set aside to meet any loss which may arise. 3, Yeong Lok Lane, thereon These Lots will be sold subject to the existng lettings and tenancies thereof.

HENRY J. HOLMES, Solicitor for the Vender, J. M. GUEDES,

Hougkong, 18th April, 1884. PUBLIC AUGTION.

A TR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received 1VI instructions from EDWARD JAMES! terminated on the 31st March, 1884, and the ACEROYD, Esq., the Registrar of the Supreme undersigned will continue to practice in his Court of Hongkong, pursuant to a Decree dated to Slat day of March, 1884, made in the Supreme Court of Hongkong in its Original DEAR SIRS, Jurisdiction in suit No. 119 of 1883, between In conform EMANUEL RAPHAEL BELILIOS, Plaintiff, and AARON NISSIM JUDAH, Defendant, to Sell by Public Auction, all that VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY Situate in Shelley Street and Mosque Junction, Victoria, Hongkong, on

WEDNESDAY, the 30th April, 1884, at 2.30 P.M., at the Premises, in two Lots, viz:-Lot 1.—All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND situate at Victoria aforesaid, measuring on the North 70 feet, on the South 70 feet, on the East 75 feet, and on the West 75 feet; registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 341, and held for the residue of a term of 999 years subject to the Annual Crown Rent of £1.0.0. and

West 29 feet; registered in the Land Office viz; \$380. of 999 years, subject to the due proportion of the Annual Crown Rent of the whole Lot. Together with the Five HOUSES known as Nos. 15, 17, 19, 21 and 23, Shelley Street, Lot 2.—All that Piece of GROUND situate at

Victoria aforesaid, measuring on the North

16 feet and 9 inches, on the South 16 feet

Lot, and the due proportion of the Annual Crown Bankrupt. Rent of the whole Lot. Together with the Two HOUSES known as No. 15, and 17, Mosque Junction, thereon. These Lots will be sold subject to the exist

ng lettings and tenancies thereof. For Further Partionlars and Conditions of certain new forms of Parasitic diseases in Sale, apply to BRERETON, WOTTON, & DEACON, Solicitors for the Plaintiff. 35, Queen's Road, Hongkong;

> J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 16th April, 1884. NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

FURNISHED throughout, and there are Rooms MR. C. L. TF EVENIN'S WINE and suitable for either Married Couples or Single MF Sprair Struck has, from this date, been. Hongkong. 29th March, 1884. J. BIM & Co.'s PATENT ANTI-

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DIVIDED INTO 5,000 SHARES OF \$100 EACH ON ALLOTMENT \$10 PER SHARE, AND THE BALANCE ON SOTH APRIL, 1884. PROVISIONAL COMMITTEE. CHAIRMAN: GONZALO TUASON, Esq., (Mossrs. J. M. Tuason & Co.)

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JOSE JUAN DE YCAZA, Esq. BANKERS: THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION.

GENERAL MANAGRES: BIRCHAL, ROBINSON & Co HEAD OFFICE, MANILA,

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS:

THE above Company has been established at Manila for the nurpess of taking over the Spanish Steamers "LUZON," "VISAYAS," "ESTRELLA," "SORSOGON," "CAMIGUIN" and "BOLINAO," all of are now employed in the coasting trade of the FROM GLASGOW, LONDON, PENANG, Philippine Islands. The Steamers now running are all in perfect | HE Steamship

West 100 feet, and on the East 100 feet, and of the East 100 feet, and Crown Rent of \$26.40. Together with to the Shareholders in the above mentioned Ten HOUSES known as Nos. 42, 44, 46. Steamers during the past year, and it is ex-No Claims will be admitted after the Goods 48, and 50. Market Street, and Nos. 4, 5, 6, pected that a still more profitable business will have left the Godowns, and all claims, must be result under the influence of larger Capital and situate in Tai-ping-shan, measuring on the North 80 feet, on the South 80 feet, on the Abercoan Ship Building Company of North 80 feet, on the South 80 feet, on the East 100 feet, and on the West 100 feet, and now on her way out, has been specially constructed to enter the shallow rivers of the Land Office as INLAND Cially constructed to enter the shallow rivers of the Land Office as INLAND Dagupan and Capiz, with a carrying capacity of the Land Office as INLAND Dagupan and Capiz, with a carrying capacity of the contrary be given before Ten A.M., in the Philippine trade of her capacity and draft. Crown Rent of \$26.40. Together with in the Philippine trade of her capacity and draft. Eleven HOUSES known as Nos. 52, 54, 56, 58; and 60, Market Street, Nos. 8, 10, surance, for which purpose one-fifth of the paid-

Considering the handsome result obtained during the past year and the good prospects For Eurther Particulars and Conditions of for future trade in the Philippine Islands, combined with the possibility of obtaining a Government subvention in the new mail contracts to be offered next year, it is reasonably expected that a still better result will follow. The responsibility of Shareholders is limited to the nominal amount of their shares.

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MESSES. BIRCHAL, ROBINSON & Co.,

MANILA.

In conformity with the Prospectus of the above Company, I beg to request you to note my application for Shares, or any lass number, of \$100 each; the first call of \$10 per Share on those alloted to me, will be paid on presentation of the serip; and the remainder FITHE Steamship on 30th April, 1884. Name and address?

NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS. Also All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND | IT THIS COMPANY now grant PASSAGES situate at Victoria aforesaid, measuring on I THROUGH TO LONDON via MARSHILLES, the North 70 feet, on the South 70 feet 6 including Continental Railway Fares, at the inches, on the East 36 feet, and on the same rate as for the route by sea to London,

as The Remaining Portion of Inland Lot | The Fare to MARSEILLES is now similar to No. 342, and held for the residue of a term that charged to BRINDISI or VENICE, viz: \$355. Superintendent. Hongkong, 14th March, 1884.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

and 9 inches, on the East 50 feet, and on the West 50 feet; registered in the Land FORD, Bank Clerk, having been adand risk.

Office as Section E of INLAND LOT judged a Bankrupt under a Petition for adjuding No Fire of 999 years, subject to the due proportion Court of Hongkong, on the 7th day of February, of the Annual Crown Rent of the whole 1884, a Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination and make application Also All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND for his Order of Discharge, will be held before situate at Victoria aforesaid, measuring on the North 17 feet and 5 inches or thereabouts, on the South 17 feet and 5 inches or thereabouts, abouts, on the East 50 feet, or thereabouts, and on the West 50 feet or thereabouts; 11 o'clock in the foreneon of that day precisely. registered in the Land Office as Section D EDWARD JAMES ACKBOYD, Esquire, is the of Inland Lot No. 392, and held for the Official Assignee in the Bankruptcy, and the residue of a term of 999 years, subject to Undersigned is the Solicitor acting for the Dated the 19th day of April, 1884.

DANIEL E. CALDWELL, Solicitor Acting in the Bankruptey, 50, Queen's Road.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG. IN BANKRUPTCY.

TOTICE -LEONG SHAU SHAN, Broker, having been adjudged a Bank-

Bankruptcy, filed in the Supreme Court of instant, or they will not be recognised. Hongkong, on the 11th day of February, 1884, a Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination and make application for his Order of Discharge, will be held before the Honourable Sir GEORGE PHILLIPPO, Knight, Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Temporarily Removed to No. 4, PEDDAR'S HILL. Court House, Victoria, aforesaid, on THURS-[659 DAY, the 1st day of May, 1884, at 11 o'clock in to the undersigned: for countersignature, and the forencen of that day precisely. EDWARD JAMES ACHEOYD, Esquire, is the landed and stored of their risk and expense. WOULING COMPOSITION Official Assignee in the Bankruptcy, and the Undersigned is the Solicitor acting for the Bankrupt. Dated the 19th day of April, 1884.

DANIEL E. CALDWELL, Bolloitor Acting in the Bestroptey.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES POCONSIGNEESOFOPTIONALCARGO EX 0.8.8. CO.'S S.S. "GLAUCUS." FROM LIVERPOOL.

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SHYPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 28th instifor shipment per steamer "PRIAM." Hongkong, 23rd April, 1884.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

CONSIGNEES por Company's Steamer "GLAUCUS." are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consigness' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 23rd April, 1884. Goods undelivered after the 29th April, 1884 will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1884.

STEAMSHIP "AVA." COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamships "EUPHRATE" & "GANGE," from London, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risksat the Company's Godowns, whence delivery, may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignoss before TEN, A.M., TO-DAY, requesting it to be. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the

Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after MONDAY. the 28th instant, at Noon, will be subject [26] to rent and landing charges at 1 Cent per nackage per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me before the 31st instant, or they will not be recognized. . No Fire Insurance has been effected.

I. MARTIN. Acting Agent. Hongkong, 22nd April, 1884.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before NOON, on the 28th instant, or they will not be

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any TO-DAY, the 22nd instant. Rills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, 22nd April, 1884. FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND

SINGAPORE. HE Steamship "GLENOGLE."

having arrived from the above Ports Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed Application for Shares should be made on at their risk, into the Godowns of the Underthe accompanying form, and addressed to the signed, whonce and/or from the wharves or boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless THE Company's Steamship notice to the contrary be given before THREE P.M., TO-DAY, the 21st instant.

nstant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Luding will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 21st April, 1884.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

"POLYHYMNIA, Captain Bohme, having arrived from the above

Ports, Consignees of Cargo are heroby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned whence and/or from the wharves or boats | THE Company's Steamship delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless. notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO-DAY, the 21st instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 25th instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, 21st April, 1884. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "KUMAMOTO-MARU," FROM KOBE AND NAGASAKI.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take im-mediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after TUESDAY, the 22nd April, 1884 will be landed and stored at Consignoss' expense No Fire Insurance will be effected.

H. J. H. TRIPP, Mitsu Bishi Mail Steamship Co. Hongkong, 21st April, 1884.

UNION LINE

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. "OXFORDSHIRE,",

Captain Jones, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested THE Company's Steamship to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the steamer on or about the 30th instant. will be at once landed and stored at Consignoes' risk and expense and no Fire Insurance will be

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Yokonama unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO-MORROW. All Claims against the steamer must be preunder a Petition for adjudication in sented to the Undersigned on or before the 25th Agents.

Hongkong, 16th April, 1884.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex " NATAL."

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Italian Convent. Hongkong, 24th April, 1884. DUNGALOW, No. 33, THIRD STREET

Hongkong, 24th April, 1884.

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STEAM TO SHANGHAL FIHE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "ANCONA," will leave for the above place TO-DAY, the

24th April, at Four P.M. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1884.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SHANGHAL (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates,

for Cheroo, Tientsin, Newchwang, HANKOW, and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) HE Company's Steamship "TAISANG." Captain Davies, will be despatched as above

TO DAY, the 24th instant, at FOUR P.M. For Freight of Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1884. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SHANGHAL

(Taking Cargo and Passongers at through rates, for Chefco, Tientsin, Newchwang, HANKOW, and Ports on the YANGTSZE.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 28th | Captain Hogg, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 26th inst., at FOUR FAM General Managers.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, 23rd April, 1884. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

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Captain G. Ragusin, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 28th instant, at Noon. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, 23rd April, 1884. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

FIHE Company's Steamship "TELEMACHUS, Captain Jones, will be despatched as about on or about the 30th inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1884. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG, THENTSIN, HANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGTSZE) HE Company's Steamship

Captain Butler, will be despatched as above: on or about the 30th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1884 NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVI-

GATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA

SAMARANG, AND SOURABAYA. "CAMORTA,

Captain Oreille, will be despatched as above For Freight or Pessage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 23rd April, 1884. STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"BANGALORE," will leave for the above place on FRIDAY.

the 2nd May, at THERE P.M. Superintendent. Hongkong, 24th April, 1884.

ANTED-A CLERK. Must be able to interpret Chinese and write a good hand in English. References required.

"Daily Press" Offloo. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1884. GEORGE GOULE CHAMPAGNE CHAMRAGNE PUSTAU & Co.,

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side of the paper only. Advortisements and Subscriptions which are not ordered for a fixed period will be continued un countermanded. Orders for extra copies of the Daily Press shou

be sent before 11 a.m. on the day of publication After that hour the supply is limited.

THOMAS FRANCIS GRIMBLE to ANNIE BLANCHE

On the 12th March, at his residence, Alphington proprietor of the Hongkong Daily Press, aged 67.

Hongkons, April 24th, 1884.

The question of the extradition of Chinese criminals from Hongkong is one of great difficulty from whatever side it be approached. On the one hand, if men who have fled to Hongkong to escape arrest and tris on a criminal charge in China be given up to the Chinese authorities, they will almost cortainly be tortured and treated in a man ner altogether repugnant to civilised ideas and no confidence whatever can be felt in the justice of their trial. Some years ago Sir EDMUND HORNEY; late Chief Justice of H.B.M.'s Court in China and Japan, wrote a letter to the Times, in which he strongly urged this view of the case. On the other hand, it would be clearly prejudicial to the good government of this colony to allow it to be made a Cave of Adullam in which the whole of the criminals of China might flad a safe refuge. In addition to this, if we refused-to-grant rendition to China, she might retaliate by refusing to give up fugitives from justice who escape from Hongkong to the opposite mainland, in which case crime in the colony would to a large extent go impunished. The palice not in frequently have to avail of the good offices of the Authorities at Kowloon to assist them in the apprehension of persons accused of crime committed in Hongkong; if the facilities thus afforded were withdrawn grave injury would be done to the interests of peace and order. A correspondent signing himself "Fiat Justitia" has been writing to the N. C. Daily News with reference to the extradition case now pending in Hongkong. We will give his statement of the case and examine it and the arguments he bases upon it. "The main facts of the case," he says, "are these. Eleven Chinese Christians of the province of Kwangtung have sought refugs in Hongkong in order to escape from a bitter persecution that a tyrannical clap hadsuscitated against them. These refugees had previously been visiting their friends in Kwangtung, and it happened that a murder was committed in the same house or village where they were staying; and the Chinese Government, under the pretext that these men are guilty of the said murder, has in structed its Ambassador at London, Murquis TSENG, to ask Earl GRANVILLE for the surrender of these eleven Chinese to the Kwangtung native authorities. In consequence of to the ground. this demand, the Government of Hongkong has received instructions from home to deliver up these Chinese Christians. As yet they have not been surrendered, but they are imprisoned at Hongkong on this unsupported charge of murder baving been made against them. Meantime some influences have been steamer. brought to bear on the home Government to stay any such extradition until it can be judicially proved that these unfortunate Chinamen are really guilty of the crime imputed to them." "Fiat Justitia" oan. hardly claim to be a man of judicial mind, or be would have seen the importance of advancing some evidence in support of the sweeping is Acting Registrar-General. statements he here makes. If, as he inferentially affirms, there has been no judicial investigation, how does be arrive at the conclusion that the charge made against the men is a trumped-up one, and that the Chinese Go-Every man is to be regarded as innocent | He is accompanied by Mrs. Morant and family. until he is proved guilty, and the prisoners in the case roferred to are of course entitled guilty of bringing a false charge until the case has been tried. If "Fint Justitia" tling him to hold the opinion that the Chinese Government are guilty of the infamous der was committed in the same house or phemism; it always happens that a murder is committed when a murderer commits

they should be given up. They have accordingly been re-arrested and are at being conducted. The correspondent says: are guilty of this murder, and no legal proof has ever been tendered that they are culpably implicated in the murder of which they are accused." This statement, as regards the latter part of it, can hardly be considered in accordance with fact. He admitsithat according to British law, a prima SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS REFITTED, tradition of accused persons, but goes on to argue that the Chinese Government not being a civilized Power cannot therefore be Notice. To avoid delay in the execution of admitted to share in the privileges of our is Christian and civilised nations, until it has qualified itself for such participation by asto the just and humane principles on which such international obligations are founded. In support of this argument be cites the authority of Dr. Ersking Holland. "Fiat Justitia" does not in any way trouble himself to deal with the difficulty the adoption of this view of the case would raise. many of the criminals of China as choose to avail themselves of it? He seems, however,

to have some obscurely lurking consciousness that he is on the horns of a dilemma, but apparently thinks he effectually escapes making the extraordinary suggestion On the 23rd April, at St. John's Cathodral, by the that the accused should not be given up Rev. W. Jonnings, M.A., Colonial Chaplain, PHINEAS | because they are Christians. We trust that [829 in Hongkong a Buddhist, or Taoist, or adherent of any other faith, will always meet House, Five Oaks. Jersey, Yource Jones Murnow, with the same justice and consideration that are accorded to Christians. It unfortunately these men's alleged offence has not appeared happens that is our own and other countries Christians are not found incomble of crime, and we fail to see that the fact that a Chinamar accused of crime is a Christian is to be taken as evidence of his innocence. "Fiat Justitia" incidentally refers to the prisoners as having fled to Hongkong for refuge against an anti-Christian persecution," but this description seems to rest on no better basis han that because the men are said to be Christians therefore the demand or their rendition on a charge of murder is an auti-Christian persecution. it could be established that the action taken by the Chinese Government was in the nature of an anti-Christian persecution, then indeed the Government of Hongkong would be justified in refusing to give the men up, but had the Shanghai correspondent had any evidence to that effect we think he would not have failed to produce it. There have been plenty of extradition cases before this one, but we have not heard the Chinese Government accused of an anti-Buddhist. or anti-Taoist, or anti-Confucian persecution because the persons whoserendition was

> tradition of its eleven subjects who have fled Dungkong for refuge against an anti Christain persecution, it will be found that the prima facie evidence mentioned in international jurisprudence, as justifying such claim, is not sufficient under treaty stipulations to necessitate the Government Hongkong giving these men up. It is expressly provided for in that Article: criminal subjects of China shall take refuge in Hongkong, they shall, on proof of their guilt, be delivered up. Of course this means that their guilt must be proved by such evidence as is required in a British Court of Justice to substantiate their culpability." This point has been well settled by practice. There is no provision as to what is to constitute proof of guilt, magistrate to take all the evidence forthcoming in the case, and upon this evidence the Governor orders the rendition of the Levening. men or otherwise as he may think right. With such a provision in the treaty the argument of the correspondent that China is not entitled to rendition of her criminals because she is not civilized of course falls

ipplied for in those cases happened to profess

either the one or the other religion. "Fiat

Justitia" goes on to say:-"On turning,

jowever, to the Treaty of Tientsin, under

ticle XXI, of which the Chinese claim ex-

The Spanish steamer Automio Munoz was to be decked at Kowloon yesterday. The delivery of the English mail was begun

Lieutonants Druitt and Mills, R.E., leave for Singapore by the next P. & Q. Company's

at 11.40 on Tuesday night.

The Army and Navy Gazette states that the Malta next Arituran. His Excellency S. E. Popoff, Russian Minister

Plenipotentiary to Peking, is expected at Shanghai from the North shortly. Mr. N. G. Mitchell Innes is acting as Assistant Colonial Sceretary while Mr. Lockhart

and an eleven composed of Royal Artillery and complimentary character.

Royal Engineers. By the P. and O. steamer Ancona arrived Comvernment are acting under a "pretext?" modore G. D. Morant, successor to Commodore Cuming, who goes home by first opportunity.

The C.M.S.N. Co.'s steamer Peochi, Captain Lancaster, which arrived at Shanghai on the to the benefit of that axiom; but, on the 18th inst. from Tientsin, while crossing the bar other hand, a presecutor is not to be held at the entrance of the Peiho was run into by a Longden, by her mother, Lady Longden. tug-boat towing a sailing vessel. The Poochi was struck on her starboard side and had one or two of the plates and some of the rails carried has personn! knowledge of the facts enti- away. The sailing vessel was, the Courier hears.

The degree of M.A. honoris causa was conferconduct he imputes to them his evidence red upon Bunyin Nanjio, a Japanese student on the 18th March, in a convocation held at Oxford. would be extremely valuable, but he simply The Public Orator gave a sketch of the career of makes an ex parte statement and supports it Bunyin Nanjio, who, being a Buddhist priest, the assistance and guidance of Professor Max authorised to sign the firm.

pondent's statement of the case. As a American papers an article very serely reflecting that 7th, Manile 8th, Hongkong 12th, Batavis must now amount to a such largely exceeding ment in the tariffon bills of oxchange. Ho said the officials. At the last election three gentlement ment in the tariffon bills of oxchange. on some of the U.S. Consuls in China. The 14th, Saigon 15th, Singapore 19th. The French | £20,000, and it is to be hoped that with his death | Chamber of Commerce had suggested that the were proposed for nomination, and there is no matter of fact there was an investiga- authority given was "a distinguished official Justices had a later of fact there was an investiga- authority given was "a distinguished official Justices had be a later of fact there was an investiga- authority given was "a distinguished official Justices had be a later of fact there was an investiga- authority given was "a distinguished official Justices had be a later of fact there was an investiga- authority given was "a distinguished official Justices had be a later of fact there was an investiga- authority given was "a distinguished official Justices had be a later of fact there was an investiga- authority given was "a distinguished official Justices had be a later of fact the fact of tion held into the circumstances before lately stationed in China" and doubtless some was delivered in London on the 17th inst, its vernment will now be prepared to make a just \$1,000 on part thereof 30 cents, but on voted then, they might have turned the scale, and the vernment will now be prepared to make a just \$1,000 on part thereof 30 cents, but on voted then, they might have turned the scale, and clothing and other articles to the value of \$3 on the 19th instant.

The defendant was employed by a shopkeeper that it is considered by the represented that Chamber had decided son elected would not have been considered by The defendant was employed by a shopkeeper family. In justice to both Mr. Denny and the Consuls via San Francisco. The next inward mail, ex Governor Henness took the responsibility we are glul to state that Mr. Denny has written of discharging the men, but we presume it to China most carnestly repudicting any con- Hongkong 19th Feb., was despatched from Alex. merchant, established the Hongkong Daily Press 85,000 or part thereof 50 cents. He moved would have been considered as practically in offi-

one and the 12th January for the other.

the Criminal Sessions on Saturday of wounding Siam, and the Secretaries and Attaches of Loga- on an extensive scale with Western civilisation part thereof." razor. His Lordship said he was of opinion that no attempt was being made in the house to rob

of considerable service to Russia of late. It was to be agreed on by the two Powers. Khivan chief, if not the Khan himself, who arranged for the submission of Morv to the Czar.

The post in the Tsung-li Yamen hitherto cohas been conferred upon a collateral member of the family, the Prince I Knang. This gentle-Is man is a grandson of the seventeenth son of Hougkong to be made an asylum for as Chien Lung, and is consequently of the same £343,000 are represented mostly by produce. generation as Prince Kung. He occupies, however, an inferior rank to his predecessor in office, being only a Boilch, with the brevet title of Chun wang. He is a man of middle age, short stature, and extremely delicate health; and he is said neither to know anything whatever of foreign affairs nor to have shown any signs of administrative ability.—M. C. Daily News.

> Two Chinoso have been arrested under a warant charging them with murder on Chinese arritory. The arrest has been made at the educat of the Governor-General of the Two Kwang, forwarded through the British Consul at Canton. In the proceedings which have thus far proceeded in the Police Court, the nature of but we believe that both are really required for complicity in the recent outbreak in Kwei Chow, and that the original attempt to obtain the ar rest and rendition of these men was not upon charge of murder, but of treason. There are probably fewer legal difficulties in the way of obtaining rendition on the present charge. Anthor man is still wanted.

Messra. Wheelook & Co.'s freight circula contains the following about the steamers to lord tea this season. At Haustow for London-Glenogle, Glencoe, Glenfruin, Glenolg, Bothwell Castle, Albany, Cardiganshire, Benalder, Chazee, Pathan, Sikh, Oopack, Port Phillip, Ascalo Cairnsmuir, Cambodia, and two other steamers, one belonging to the Union line and the other a German steamer. At Hankow for Odessa-Tearitem, Petersburg, Krostronia and a German steamer. At Foochowfor London-Breconshire, Flintshire, Glencagles, Benarty, Benlavig, Ningchow, Afghan, and a Union line steamer. From Japan to New York-Glenavon, Pembrokeshira Radnorshipe, Benvenue, Bengloe, and a Union line steamer. We hear there are to be twentytwo steamers to load at Hankow for London; sixteen of the names have been given.

The subjoined items are extracted from the London and China Express of the 21st alt:

M. Jules Ferry received M. Patenôtre, the French Minister to China, on the 18th inst. H.E. will proceed to Peking shortly. Monsieur De Champeaux, the late French Government.

Resident at Hué, has arrived in Paris, having courned by the last mail from the East. The Goodell, from Hongkong, upon while fty guineas premium had been paid, arrived at New York on 18th inst.

The appointment of Deputy-Inspector-General f Hospitals John Fisher to Hongkong, vice J. Doyle, is gazetted. Dr. Fisher served during Alphington House, Five Oaks, Jersey, of Mr ho Russian war in the Baltic in 1854-5 (Baltic

The naval captain's good-service pension \$150 a year, vacant by the retirement of Captain J. D'Arcy, has been awarded to Captain P. H. The French Chamber has sanctioned the Go-

medals to officers and men of both Services who and likely to live for some years with care. In Finance Committee. have distinguished themselves in Madagascur bis last letter dated the 27th February he stated nd Tonquin.

on in the European Press on the subject of extra-territoriality in Japan is assuming an imthe extracts we have given from various and died on the 12th. He leaves a widow (his As we anticipated, the motion of Sir Joseph Pease

secured a hearing in any case, but a count out at

the jubilee of the Edinburgh University,

Mayor, and Mr. Magniao.

2nd Battalion of The Buffs will be moved to treaty for various vessels, we believe. The service. The service The service. The service are constructed in matter he would place himself in the hands of would have but little effect. In this colony naval and torpedo engineer, and Mr. Myabara.

the Signese Minister, and the Japanese Charge G.C.M.C., by the Secretary of State, and Miss

no since we reproduced from Yokolama February 2nd, Foothow 5th, Shang- a private suitor. The balance due with interest of discussive men, out we presume it is on the evidence than taken that Earl who has made the attack on his late colleagues.

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facie evidence of guilt is sufficient to entitle the man, but as he appeared to have been acting Berlin on the 19th inst., after concluding the Daily Press in furthering the agitation (the on vessels making short voyages, as vessel under the effect of some hallucination, he should Spirit Convention with the Gorman Govern costly brunt of which, however, fell eventually ling \$6,000 or \$7,000 on a charter from here to my left, representing the Chamber of Commerce. a foreign Government to demand the ex- be disposed to inflict a comparatively leniont mont. The same convention with the Austrian on the China Mail) to put an end to the Macao | Saigon would have had to pay the same as for a is in robust health, and that the hon, member sentence. The prisoner would be contenced to Government, which we recently amounced was coolie traffic, which was carried on under condi- voyage to London. eighteen months' imprisonment with hard labour. being negotiated through the Austrian Ambas- tions as horrible and disgraceful as any known A trans-frontier news-writer reports, on the before his Highness's departure. The Conventage and tariff on Chinese loan association books, said now, when no personal question can be involved correspondence with Mahomed Hashim Khan, more clearly defined. According to the English and seem to be assisting him with money." Ma- agreement the import duty is to be levied by homed Hashim, son of the late Sheriff Khan, is the Siamese Government, and the same to with Musa Jun in Afghan-Turkestan; and it notified to the English authorities, but in the

A meeting of the creditors of Messrs. Martin, Turner, and Co., East India merchants, Glasgow, and Messrs. Martin, Dyce, and Co., of Singapore, Batavia, and Munila, was held in cupied by his Imperial Highness Prince Kung Glasgow on the 18th inst. The statement of affairs submitted showed gross liabilities £514,000 £343,000 being fully secured; and leaving a deficiency of £171,000. The securities for the which we presume is taken at the market price of the duy. Against this sum there are assets stated at \$79,440. The assets of the firm show a balance of 1s. 5d. in the pound, and the estates of the partners individually give 8s. 5d in the pound. A portion of this estate, however, consists of the amount left by the late Mr. P. Martin, and which is not immediately realisable, the person to whom much was left having a life in-

The Chinese war vessel Nin Thin is at present

ying in the River Tyne, where she arrived on the 15th inst. The original intention was to take the vessel above the bridge to the works of Sir William Armstrong and Co., where artillery on the order of the Chinese Government, was to be shipped. This stop has, however, been abandoned, and the warship has been taken down to the quay of the North-Eastern-Marine Engineer ing Company at Wallsend, in order that the guns might be placed on board by means of the shear legs there. The authorities, however, have in terfered, and have for the time being insisted on the detention of the Nin Thin. The present disturbances between China and France have led. it appears, to the impression that a breach of neutrality laws may be committed if the vessel is allowed to depart with the gunson board. English police officers, or officials, have been placed on bourd, and no one allowed to approach the ship without direct permission. The vessel will remain under detention until the point involved by the placing of guns on board has been settled The Nin Thin, of which we haveniready given an account, was built in Germany for the Chinese Government. Sho is a very fine vessel, and, during the few days she has been lying in the Tyne, has been much admired. The ship remains un-

LATEST TELEGRAMS LONDON, 22nd April.

der surveillance; and no unauthorised person is

allowed on board.

Sir E. Baring and General Graham have left for London under summons from the British

EGYPTIAN AFFAIRS.

A conference to take into consideration finan-

cial arrangements with Egypt is proposed. MONTH CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPER DEATH OF MR. Y. J. MURROW.

It is with deep regret we have to record the death, on the 12th March, at his residence Yorick Jones Murrow, proprietor of the Hongkong Daily Press and the China Overland Trade Report.; Mr. Murrow had been in feeble health for some time, having last year been prostrated a change of air at that increasingly popular cornment Bill brought in by the Minister health resort Tunbridge Wells, Mr. Murrow so of Marine for awarding crosses and military far recovered as to be pronounced out of danger that his health was much better and continued to The systematic campaign that is being carried improve, but it seems that early in March he had a second attack of congestion of the lungs, which portant phase, as will have been noticed from did not at first seem serious, but he grew worse

second wife) and six children. The London and China Express contains a in the House of Commons on the Opium trade did longthy obituary notice of Mr. Murrow, evidentbut the practice has always been for the not come before the House on the 18th inst. It ly written by some old China hand who doubtis hardly possible that the subject would have less knew him intimately and was his contemnine o'clock put an end to all business for the porary here, from which we take the following:-Mr. Murrow was born in Wales in 1817, ar- torney-General threw a large amount of work on question for the wishes and opinion of the Council he informed his creditors that he should not be rived in China in 1838, returned to England in the Stamp Office in the way of correspondence, itself; but from what I am able to ascertain I un- able to pay any interest, and that they would Professor Mariens, well known for his contri- 1867, and died in Jorsey on the 12th March, and as the matter had been carried on hitherto it derstand that the resolution is in accordance with have to be satisfied with getting back their butious to the knowledge of Central Asia, and For several years he represented the firm of was not only that a person could not be proceed the general feeling prevailing in the colony, and principal. The defence certainly had a strong who brought out an important pamphlet at the Messrs. Jamieson, How, and Co., and was after- ed against without the consent of the Attorney- more particularly among the general constituency case, and the cause of proof was thrown upon the ime that the Kuldja difficulty between Russia wards in business on his own account as a mer- General, but that of the Governoralso, because the whose interest it affects. and China was at its height, will be one of the chant in Canton and Hongkong. He exercised Attorney-General had only been approachable Hon. P. Ryre-I beg to second the resolution with the evidence which had been given, and exdelegates from the University of St. Potersburg great influence in the southern ports of China through the Colonial Secretary's Office, and the which my hon friend on my left has proposed. pressed his belief the plaintiffs had borne the during a period of nearly thirty years, both in delay and trouble caused by all this procedure He has left but little for me to say upon the onus satisfactorily, and proved their case, his public and private capacity. His public life having to be gone through was really very con- matter, and I entirely agree with his remarks. the testimony of several influential wit-With regard to the Private Bill of the Orien- may be said to have commenced the year after siderable. If an Inspector of Police might take What is required is a popular representation on nesses being against the defendant's unsuphis arrival at Canton, when he was imprisoned on himself the right of initiating a prosecution this Council, and where the body of the electors ported statement. Upon the whole he this Session, the Standing Orders have been in the Factories by Commissioner Liu, along for a nuisance he really did not see why the Colisson small that the official element represents must come to the conclusion that the plaintiffs suspended, and the Bill has virtually been read with the other residents. When Hongkong was lector of Stamps should not have the same power somewhere near one third of it, I think it is most were entitled to the sum claimed for interest, a first time. The Bill is backed by the follow- colonised the communication with Canton was with respect to a breach of the Stamp Ordin- undesirable the officials should take part in the but they had in great measure brought this

ing members :- Sir John Lubbock, the Lord tedious and uncertain, but his keen intelligence ance. In all cases of doubt the Collector would election. I believe it is true that in England litigation upon themselves by making no mention soon induced him to establish, at his own risk, a maturally take the precaution of consulting the permanent officers do take part of interest; any solicitor was justified in advisdaily postal service-in the first instance by Attorney-General. The Japanese Naval Commission, which has means of fast native row-boats of his own The Chief Justice-You are taking away and of members of Parliament, but in large circumstances. Judgment for the plaintiffs been in England and on the Continent for some design, and afterwards by steamers, which the rights of other people. considerable time, is still in London, and is in he also designed, as specially adapted to the The Colonial Treasurer said that in this the votes of a few permanent Government officers | ments made in the petition. Commission at present consists of Admiral Ito, this country, sent out in parts, and put together his legal friends, but if the clause could stand as where the body of electors is so small Mr. Sasow, Lient. Idjuin, Mr. Wacayams, a by native craftsmen, whom he trained for the it was he would very much prefer it, because the the effect would be very different. I beg to purpose. The facilities thus afforded were re- necessity of obtaining the assent of the Attorney- second the motion of the hon member on my left. cognised as a most important public benefit by General had amounted in past years to a suspen. Hon. F. D. Sassoon-It is with great pleasure H. R. H. the Prince of Wales was pleased to all save those who had proviously held a practical sion of the law. The Collector of Stamps could not that I support the motion of the Attorney receive on 17th inst. a visit from their Royal monopoly of early intelligence through a costly approach the Attorney-General except through General, that Justices of the Peace who are Highnesses Prince Krom Mun Naresr, the Siam- organisation of private expresses—but all—con- the Colonial Secretary, the Colonial Secretary Government officials should abstain from taking ese Minister to Great Britain, and Prince tents and non-contents-foreigners and natives, went to the Governor, who suspended the law any part in the election of unofficial members. Sonapandit, one of the attaches of the Legation. largely availed themselves of the regular, rapid, by blocking the papers, and prosecutions were Soon after your Excellency's arrival in the A cricket match will be played to day (Thurs- It is usual for H. R. H. to receive a visit from and cheap mode of transit which Mr. Murrow's forbidden in that way. He thought it ought not colony you were good enough to promise the day), weather permitting, between The Buffs the foreign Ministers, which is entirely of a enterprise had created. He was the pioneer of to be possible that the law should be suspended community a more representative Council than the China and San Francisco native passenger in that way: it should either be carried out or re- they were enjoying before, and we see that your Bay, and proceeding in the direction of the rounds traffic, which led to the strange anomaly of an pealed, but for some years the Stamp Ordinance, Excellency's exertions were crowned with he saw the defendant firing across the harbour. By command of the Queen a Drawing Room extensive emigration of Chinese to America, as regarded a certain section of the population, success. In my opinion and in the opinion of It was a most dangerous thing to do, for there was held on the 20th inst. at Buckingham Palace and probably did more than all other forces com- was practically suspended because prosecutions a large majority of the community, the officials were a good many vessels and small craft about. by her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales, bined to free the Chinese from the hereditary could not be instituted without the consent of should not be allowed to influence the election on behalf of Her Majesty. Amongst those who shackles of exclusiveness, in which many con- the Governor. attended in the Diplometic Circle were the turies of "custom" had previously enthrolled . The CHIEF JUSTICE said the effect of the think the official members are sufficiently strong Chinese Minister and Marchioness Tseng, them. Shortly after the commencement of the section as it stood would be to prevent private in the Council already. With these remarks I war of 1856-60, when up to 1858 the foreign prosecutions. d'Affaires. Amongst those who were presented trade of Canton was suspended, and the customary to H.R.H. was Sir James Longdon, on being made commercial employment for Mr. Murrow's three Colonial Treasurer to accept the suggestion of steamers almost ceased, their handiness and small | the Chief Justice. draught of water made them invaluable to the The COLONIAL TREASURER intimuted his this subject, in which I take a deep interest, but Government, and they were for a time extensively assent. Messrs. André, Reiners, and Co. announce omployed as despatch boats. It was while thus em. The ATTORNEY GENERAL said there was a I have a very strong opinion myself. I that they have established themselves at 1, ployed that one of the Chinese good deal to be said in favour of the Colonial do not wish to impose that opinion upon any of the Whittington-avenue, Loadenhall-street, and that Government and barned, while the others, thrown Treasurer's views, but he could not subscribe to official members of the Council, and I hope that ant coming from a wharf on the Praya East

in which firm Mr. von André retains his interest. Mr. Murrow's claim for losses sustained was blooked in the way described. The responsible capital of the firm is increased admitted by the official assessor. The amount The Colonial Treasures—Oh, yes. village where they were staying," is an ou- for this purpose. There he availed himself of Partnership, 1865." Mr. William Mendel is independent attitude he maintained as a journal- come before the Attorney-General. The latest mail advices received home were :- ing the employment of every means available to "Collector."

unmasked it. In private life Mr. Murrow was General's Office. conspicuous for his disinterestedness and gene- The COLONIAL TREASURER said he had no osity. His life was, perhaps, more devoted to objection to eliminate this section others than to himself, and none sought his advice or aid in vain. On his leaving China the Parses community made him a handsome pre- duty, should not be charged on small estates sentation of silver plate as a mark of their per- In some cases, he said, the value of sonal estcom and of their appreciation of his the estate was almost nominal, and somelong and eminent public services. His later times he took the responsibility on himself of contemplated public work, which I trust will years, owing to impaired health, were chiefly de- remitting the duty. He thought the duty should be of great importance to the colony—the new voted to a well-carned cossation from active work. | not be collected from poor people. He was obliged to discontinue writing his | An amendment was passed in accordance with

Commence of the second HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. the ATTORNET-GENERAL gave notice that at the

months ago on account of his failing health.

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held | third time. esterday afternoon, when there were present:-His Excellency the Governor, Sir GEORGE FERGUSSON BOWEN, G:C:M:G:

Hon. Sir-Ghorge Phillippo, Chief Justice. Hon. F. STEWART, Acting Colonial Secretary Hon. E. L. O'MALLEY, Attorney-General. Hon. A. LISTER, Colonial Treasurer.

Hon. J. M. PRICE, Surveyor-General. Hon. H. G. THOMSETT, Harbour Master.

Hon. P. RYRIE. Hon. W. KESWICK.

Hon. T. JACKSON.

Hon. F. D. SASSOON. Hon. WONG SHING.

NEW MEMBER. His Excellency—Hon. Gentlemen, before we proceed to the business of the day I wish to

sent at this table.

Carried. THE STAMP ORDINANCE.

consent of the Collector.

So addicted are the Chinese to geomency that | A Levée was held on the 17th inst. by the | caliarly fitted by education and great natural | passed the amendment at the Chamber of Com- sanctioned. Therefore, for these two reasons, it is imported even into their arsonals and other Prince of Wales on behalf of. Her Majesty at ability, combined with long experience and the morce rather hastly; several persons interested I am strongly inflavour of the resolution, but, as works conducted on the European system. He St. James's Palace, at which nearly 200 presents. had since consulted him about it, and he thought I said before, I do not wish to impose my opinion present confined in Victoria Gaol, where Ju-chang, Superintendent of the Foochew Ar- tions were made. Among those who attended tion which he possessed. (Although not without the amendment moved by his hon, friend op- upon any of the official members of the Coun-

authority of travelling merchants from Central tion concluded with the German Government is refused a bribe of \$10,000 to discontinue his ex- that if it was necessary to put a charge on these is the very time to settle the question once for Asia, that "the chiefs of the district of Urgungo," similar to that made with this country, except posure of the iniquities of the system. As a associations he would suggest that it would be all; and I am glad that it should be brought the Khivan Khans that is, "keep up constant that the duty levied on imports and excise is journalist he exercised publicly that dominant advisable not to put a stamp duty on the books forward and settled finally. With these few influence on local opinion which had been one but rather that the associations should by re- observations I will now put the resolution to the of his chief characteristics in private life. Ho quired to be registered. Those who had had any vote. especially signalised himself by the fearless experience of the courts knew what a great deal courage energy, and perseverance which he dis- of trouble these associations had been. That similating its penal and criminal procedure may be noted that the Khivan Khans have been case of the German Convention the amount is played in expessing and rectifying the abuses some of them were managed honestly and hon- | Hon. W. Keswick moved the first reading of which seem inseparable from the founding of oursbly there could be no doubt, or there would a Bill to amend Ordinance 17 of 1883 (an Ordinance 17) every British colony, increased and intensified in not be so many of them; others were, he believed, ance authorising the Hon. F. B. Johnson to conthe case of Hongkong by the events of the war. illegal, and others mere pitfalls, to entrap struct piers and wharves in the harbour of Vie. Perhaps his principal achievement in this re- the unwary. If a stamp were put on the toria). He said the alterations were of a verbal spect was his success in suppressing piracy. It documents of these associations they would character and affected no principle of the Bill. may seem a strange and strong thing to say, go forth amongst the Chinese as a Govern- but they were necessary in order that Ordinance but there is no doubt. Mr. Marrow, in addition ment recognition, of the lawfulness of the 17 of 1883 might be confirmed at the Colonia to the support he gave in suppressing the Macao undertaking. The better course, he thought. Office. coolie slave trade, also crippled the piracy which would be to treat them as friendly societies and had attained such dimensions as to be the other such associations were treated in England. curse of the colony. The pirates had numerous He thought they should be registered, that confederates demiciled in Hongkong, who by aid their rules should be approved, and that security a Bill to amend Ordinance 4 of 1884 (an Ordinance 4 of 1884) of official connivance were at times enabled even should be taken the promoters of the association to control the movements of our ships of war. would person their agreements, and that for piers and wharves). Hesaidthis amending Billwas Mr. Murrow succeeded in tracing out this in- this a small fee should be imposed. This he of the same character as the one which had just famous system, and having done so dountlessly | thought might easily be done by the Registrar-

The section was struck out. The CHIEF-JUSTICE suggested that probate

home letters to the Daily Press some twelve | the Chief-Justice's suggestion exempting estates of less value than \$250 from payment of probate The Bill was reported with amendments and

next meeting he would move that it be read a

The following Bills were read a third time and passed :- The Post Office Ordinance, 1884 : An Ordinance to smoud Ordinance 3 of 1871 The Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1879 Amendment Oadinance, 1884 OFFICIAL JUSTICES NOT TO VOTE IN ELECTIONS

resolution, of which he gave notice at the last meeting: "That it is expedient that those Justices of the Peace, who are also Officials of Government, should

HIS EXCELLENCY—The next business is for

the Attorney-General to move the following

abstain from taking part in the nomination of any Member of the Council who is to be nominated by the Justices of the Perco." The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-I have now to move the resolution which has just been read, structed by Mr. Ewens, for the defendant. mention that, as you all know, there is a vecancy | and I would ask permission to very shortly state among the official members of this Council in the grounds upon which I would suggest it yesterday morning. The claim appeared to be consequence of the absence on leave of the Co- should be adopted by the Council. Under the for \$1,212, and prose out of an advance of money onial Secretary. I have appointed to that va- recent arrangement it has been provided that by the bank to the defendant. The latter seemcancy, provisionally, the Harbour Master, as a two unofficial members of this Council shall be ed to have had a very large amount of mark of my sense of the very long and bonour- nominated for appointment by the Governor, credit in this colony, and at the time this able services which he has renfered to the co- one by the Chamber of Commerce, and the advance was made he was largely indebted for long, which have now extended. I believe, over other by the Justices of the Peace. The ob- monies lent upon promissory notes and otherwise. more than a quarter of a century. I am sure ject of this provision, I approhend, was to ob. Finding himself unable to meet the interest that hon, members of the Council, both official tain something in the nature of representation due on these leans, he placed his affairs, at the and unofficial, will be glad to see among them for the unofficial portion of the community. It request of his creditors, in the hands of four during Mr. Marsh's absence a gentlemen of would be impossible to exclude from the com- influential merchants of this colony. After a Hon. H. G. THOMSETT-I thank your Ex- entitled by their position and qualifications to act arrangement was come to by which the defendant cellency very much for having appointed me to a as such; but I apprehend it is not desirable went to Messrs. Sharp, Toller, and Johnson's The minutes of the previous meeting were read present the mofficial portion of the community, saved this litigation, had this mortgage deed The Acrine Colonial Scountary moved could take part in the nomination are officials, dispute cross between the parties as to whether;

that a minute of the Governor's recommending and it would be quite possible for a body an provision being made on the promissory notes. the Council to vote \$1,200 for the purchase of including such a number as that to really which were payable on demand, any interest twelve force pumps to be placed over public exercise such an influence upon the election could be recovered. When the mortgage deed wells in the colony. 37,500 for the resumption as in fact to prenounce the choice of the was drawn up it was cortainly agreed to forego Colomb, who has served in the Crimean war, and by a complication of disorders. Under the able of Inland Lot 481 at Lap Sap Wan to be laid elective body. I would suggest that such a re- all back interest due. The plaintiffs instituted treatment of Sir Andrew Clarke, however, and out in marine lets, etc., be referred to the Finance sult would be altogether contrary to the inten- their suit on the assumption that the promissory The Acting Colonial Secretary also moved that the members who represent them shall re- notes, one of the witnesses produced the on that the Council approve certain votes of the present them as being entirely apart from any velope in which the notes had been contained The Council went into committee on the or the official views which may be entertained the correspondence chop, and must have been A discussion took place on section 22, which thinking that the voice with which the modificial was not authorised to do so. His Lordship, howprovides that no person shall be proceeded members will speak in this Council will be a much ever, was not inclined to think that this piece of against under sections 6 and 7 without the stronger voice, and more the sort of voice we should evidence was obtained by any such means. That, The CHIEF JUSTION suggested that the listed that they owe their election entirely and ox- case, for in any case of a promissory note, payclause should read "without the consent of the clusively to the wishes of that portion of the com- able upon demand, where no rate of interest was The Colonial Treasurer said this matter fluence of the Government I apprehend, Your Ex- the demand. The only question was whether inwas fully gone into by the Law Committee, and cellency, that in moving this resolution, it is not terest was given up from the time the agreehe then pointed out to his colleagues that the desirable I should attempt any claborate argu- ment was entered into. The defendant denied necessity of obtaining the assent of the At-ment to commend it to the Council; it is rather a that he agreed to pay any interest, and he said

> in the election of members of corporate bodies, ing his client he had a good case under such towns where there are perhaps 10,000 electors with costs excepting with regard to some amendof any unofficial member to this Council. I was fined 35. have great pleasure in supporting this motion. His Excention I think, hon, gentlemen

of the Council, before putting the resolution I may be expected to express my opinion on I wish it to be clearly understood that though in connection with a general and commission out of their regular employment, and not being his account of what had taken place in past they will vote entirely according to their own with a basket of coal and they followed him to business they take over the representation of adapted for any other, became valueless as soon times, because he could not conceive of any opinion upon this matter. My opinion upon his house. Inside they found four large baskets Mesers, Melchers and Co., Hongkong and China, as Her Majesty's gunboats appeared on the scene. case referred to the Attorney General being it is very strong, as I said just now, of coal which had been taken out of a sampan. and for two reasons. In the first place, In a godown at the back of the house about four as the hon. gentleman (Hon. F. D. Sas. tons of coal and coke were found. The second by a sum of £50,000 storling, which has been was, in 1860, recovered from the Chinese Go- The Afforney-General, continuing, said soon) has said the official element is defendant was assisting the first. by no evidence. "It happened that a mur. had come to England to prosecute the study of advanced by Mr. Herman Melchers of China and vernment, but a considerable portion at this mo- nice questions of law arose in considerable portion at this mothe language and manuscripts of his Sacred Books, Bremen, for a period of five years, under the ment still remains in the coffee a stamp effence should be presented, and Council, seeing that they have seven votes out of the coal at the Wing Kee shop, but a witness and had been for some time resident at Oxford provisions of the "Act to Amend the Law of Treasury. Owing it is generally believed, to the for this reason if was desirable the cases should twelve. In the second place the number of from that shop denied any knowledge of the men. members of the brach of magistrates who are Witnesses were called on their behalf to prove that ist in Colonial politics he could never recover The clause was amended by the substitution Government officials is such that they would, in the first defendant collected cinders and sold coal, more than a portion of this claim, notwithstand- of the words "Attorney-General" in place of most cases, turn the scale in the nomination of a and the second was godown keeper to a Parsee. The Colonial Treasurer moved an amend. 83 Justices, and over 20 of these are Government fault two months' imprisonment; he paid the

we understand another investigation is senal, in a memorial reporting the building of the level were the Right Hon. David Plunket, some of the opinionativeness which these quali- posite would meet the views of the mercantile cil. I think, as the Attorney-General said at of Trade for the South, states that he was re- Harry Verney, General Sir O. Cavanagh; Ad- were broad and liberal, and exercised great in- The Colonial Treasurer moved an amond- be settled once for all, and a resolution -"The men all strongly deny that they quested by the Superintendent of the yard to mirals Hon Sir Henry Reppel, G.C.B., R. duence among both foreigners and natives. In ment in the tariff on charter parties. He said that by this Council will be considered as pracsolect an "auspicious date" for laying the Coote, Sir William King Hall, Henry Hillyar, deed, an official who now occupies the highest here again a very excellent amondment of the tically binding in future. In Parliament kools. He accordingly selected 4th January for C.B., and Sir Michael Culmo Seymour; Captains | rank in the service elsewhere observed of him in | somewhat complicated tariff had been suggested | they have the power of dealing with questions Hon. Albert Denison, Sir Frederick J. Evans, reference to the want of cohesion in the British by the Chamber of Commerce. It had been affecting the election of members to their own Mr. Justice Russell yesterday morning sen- William Wiseman, R.N. The diplomatic circle save Mirrow's." In striking contrast to his it should read as follows:—"To be charged on are binding, and any resolution this Council may tenced the Chinaman who was found guilty at was attended by the Ministers of China and exertions in bringing the Chinase into contact the estimated freight, 10 cents on every \$100 or pass in a matter affecting its own constitution a number of men in a boarding house with a tion, and by the Charge d'Affaires of Japan. in a legitimate and beneficent manner—for so it. Hon P. Ryare said he had much pleasure in time. It may be asked: why bring this must be considered, although initiated for his seconding that. He thought the charges as matter forward at the present time, when Prince Prisdang returned to Paris from own advantage-stands the use he made of the arranged before would have pressed rather hardly two gentlemen have just been nominated?representing the Justices of the Peace is also in robust health, so that there is no likelihood of a sador at Berlin, was, we believe, not concluded in the African slave trade. It was a matter of The CHIEF JUSTICE, with reference to the vucancy for six years. But I consider that

The Acting Comman Secretary seconded Carried. Hon. W. Kuswick moved the first reading of ance anthorising Mr. C. P. Chater to construct

been read a first time. The Surveyor-General seconded. . Carried.

Hon. W. KESWICK gave notice that at the next meeting of the Council he would move that these Bills by read a second time. THE NEW CENTRAL SCHOOL.

HIS EXCELLENCY—I might just mention to hon, members that the commencement of a long Central school—will take place next Saturday, am requested to lay the first stone at five o'clock next Saturday, and I need hardly say I shall be very much gratified by the presence of such hon members as may wish to be present on the occasion. It is a matter of great importance to the colony.

ADJOURNMENT. On the motion of the ACTING COLONIAL SEC-RETARY, seconded by the AYTORNEY-GENERAL the Council adjourned until Wednesday next at

"SUPREME COURT.

23rd April.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION Before the Hon. Sir George Phillippo

CHIEF JUSTICE, THE TUNG KEE BANK V. CHAN YU. Mr. Mackean, instructed by Messrs. Sharp, Johnson, and Stokes, for the plaintiffs; the Attorney-General (Hon. E. L. O'Mulley), in-

His Lordship delivered judgment in this case mission of Justices a number of officials who are considerable time, and some negociations, onthat they should exercise any influence upon the office and a mortgage deed was drawn up. It selection of a member who is intended to re- would have been much better, and would have In the present state of things I believe been reduced to writing. The mortgage did not somewhat more than twenty of the Justices who profess to bear any interest whatever, and a tion with which the power of nomination was notes did carry interest, and though no mention granted to Justices of the Peace. The idea is of interest was contained on the promissory official influence, and shall represent that opinion and on that envelope was endorsed the rate of in the colony which may be looked to as some- interest, together with the defendant's chop. thing entirely distinct from the official wishes The defendant alleged this envelope only bore upon current questions of the day. I cannot help placed upon the envelope by some person who look for from the unofficial members, if we are sat- however, made but very little difference to the munity who are in no way whatever under the in- stated, interest would run from the date of

POLICE COURT April 23rd BEFORE Mr. A. G. WISE.

RECKLESS USE OF FIREARMS. Poon Sing Hu, carpenter, was charged with using firearms in a reckless manner at Yau Mah Tee, on the 22nd Listant. P.C. Gave heard three shots in Yau Man Tes

The defendant admitted the offence, and he DROTHEL OFFENCE. Wong Chun Ho, widow, was fined \$15 for keeping a girl under fifteen years of age in her

brothel on the 22nd instant. UNLAWFUL POSSESSION. Wong Aki, shopman, and Li Atang, watchman, were charged with unlawful possession of

coal to the value of \$1.50 on the 9th instant. Mr. Wotton defended. P.Cs. Lyons and Murray saw the first defend-

member to the Council. For instance, there are The first defendant was fined \$10, or in de-

Lui Ahing, servent, was charged with stealing

plat meinder and that as was said just now, would ago of his master's blindness to rob him before

VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.

CAPTAIN.

TALLEGED TABGENY BY SERVANTS. charged on suspicion with stealing a writing bor and Khartoum; if General Gordon is in case, a gold ring, 35 in money, a deposit bank jeopardy Government must assist him, but bill for \$100, a purse, and some English coins, meanwhile General Gordon is not asking for

the charge, basides severalthings of smaller value, policy of Her Mojesty's Ministers in Egypt, the whole being worth about \$200. The box was He further stated that a detachment of General beside his bed in the Wellington Barracks, and Wood's army would garrison Snakim.
was locked when he went to it. The two defend.
LONDON, 4th ants wore servants there, and he caused them to opportunities of seeing the articles. The case was remanded till to-morrow.

THE CASE AGAINST CAPT. DAKE. 13th March, 1879.

Dempster applied for a further remand. Remanded for a week. ALLEGED MURDER IN CHINESE TERRITORY. Chun Akiu, stone coolie, and Wong Kin On, a medical man, were brought up charged with Portsmouth to-day. murder on Chinese territory.

The Crown Solicitor (Mr. Johnson) appeared to-watch the case on behalf of Major-General Windsor yesterday and was conveyed to the Mr. Norman Gilbert Mitchell Innes, Acting Queen being present. Assistant Colonial Secretary, produced communications from the Governor-General of the Two

Kwang forwarded by the British Consul at torday entombed in the memorial chapel. The Canton, dated the 17th inst., requesting the arrest of the prisoners on charges of murder of the most imposing character, on Chinese territory.
Inspector Mathieson gave evidence to arrest-

ing the first defendant, the second was already in gool under a dobt warrant. Mr. Johnson applied for a remand, and the case was adjourned for a week.

BEFORE Mr. E. MACKBAN. TO BE SUMMARILY DEALT WITH.

Lokangs Nos. 368 and 314 were brought up on a charge of obtaining \$5 squeeze from boatwoman under colour of their office, on th 19th February.

The prisoners were alleged to have intimidated the woman by representations that she had not complied wih the law in registering the birth of a child, and by informing her that she was liable to a heavy panalty induced her to give. them \$5 as a bribe to quiet them. Mr. Wodehouse committed them for trial at the Supreme Court, and the Attorney-General sent it back to be summarily dealt with.

The defendants denied the charge, and his

Worship remanded them till to-day, bail having been allowed in one surety each of \$25.

CRICKET NOTES.

Truth says:- "The M.C.C. meet on April 21. when the Laws of Cricket, revised by the Committee, will be submitted to the Club for approval. Lord Harris' proposal to amend Law 48 will also any necessity for a change. be discussed, and it is sincerely to be hoped that some definite plan of aution to suppress unfair bowling will be agreed upon. Mr. C. E. Boyle is to the fore with a proposal of a very radical nature, which bowlers, at any rate, would be glad to see carried, but which the generality of cricketers, looking at it from the batting standpoint, will be likely to oppose vigorously. He wishes to reduce the maximum width of cotton goods she could repeat with woollen of the bat from 4gin, to Sgin., probably in goods. view of the fact that the legal maximum width is now pratty generally exceeded. Lord Harris, however, has already drawn attention to this evil, and I venture to think that if made. the very simple expedient were adopted of compolling all players to pass their bats through a 4 in gauge further legislation would be unne- foated by the King's troops. The rebels have cossary in this direction."

As published, the M.C.C. list contains the usual fixtures, together with one or two interesting novelties. Among these may be reckoned the the troops. match between the Gentlemen of the Club and the Philadelphians, and that between I Zingari and twenty-two members of the Houses of Parlinment. Eton and Harrow meet on July II, and the Varsities on the last day of June.

TIENTSIN.

Last night the edict arrived degrading and calling to account the Governors of Kwangsi and Yunnan, and the Commanding Generals, or. pkgs. merchandise. dering the two Generals to be beheaded at once. &c., on account of the Tonquin defeats. By this On London.—

Cheng Shu Shong has memorialised for punishment himself on account of this defeat. His and Tsen Yn Ying's awards are not out yet. How about those glorious victories spoken of in the Hupac and Daily News, when even Chen Shusheng admits being defeated he who so loudly memorialized with others to fight the French. Tso has only resigned the Governor-Generalship of Liang Kinng, he still retains the office of Southern High Commissioner of Foreign Affairs: Chang Chih-tung has been called to Peking to be a momber of the Grand Council, &c.; therefore the war party is now complete, but it will only last till they have received more severe lessons from the French than they have received in Tonguin. Eight tenths of the Peking people still believe in the Black Flag victories; and that on 15th March they got Baoninh and Sontai back from the Fronch, and that the true telegrams are got up by the Peace Party and Foreigners. They are certain that Bacninh and Sontai are taken because the date is given.

much for the foreign-owned native papers. Her Mejesty is no doubt better informed. Great pressure was brought to bear on her from the War Party; even the Emperor's father, the Seventh Prince, declared in strong language: "If heaven favours my son and it is the will of heaven that my son should be Emperor, the French will be beaten; if not, then it is better not to rule at all: better to rule in honour than in disgrace." Her Majosty has therefore laid all the responsibility on him, which, it appears, he has accepted. He will again retreat into retirement as he did in 1880, when he finds the danger unavoidable. All are anxiously walting to know Her Majesty's decision in regard to the memorials by the Censors and the Seventh Prince against Li Hung-chang, for on this decision will much depend future events, and a clearer idea will be gained of the future policy at Peking.

Many people here believe late events at Peking are got up merely to lay the blame on some one. . Taotai Yang, of Shansi, is here to buy arms and machinery for Shansi for H. E. Ching, but with his departure to Peking, Ching will probably cancel the orders.

Mr. Mendel and others have tendered their services to supply Taothi Yang with the neces-Baries required - Mercury Correspondent.

THE ENGLISH MAIL

The P. and Q steamer Ancona, from Bombay 5th April, via Colombo, Penang, and Singapore, arrived here late on Tuesday night. The following telegrams are taken from Ceylon and Perak Sugar Cultivation Company—Tis. Indian papers:

CAIRO, 3rd April. General Graham left Suskim today. CAIRO, 4th Appil. General Chermside's battalion proceeds to Suskim to-day.

THE WAR IN THE SOUDAN.

The Governor of Kassals telegraphs that the condition of the garrison is critical and begs for British ald. CAIRO, 6th April.

The tribes at Shendy and Berber are in open rebellion, and it is feared that the revolution is 3 extending. Communication is totally interrupted & with Khartoum, and it is feared that Berber and Dongola will be invested shortly. Some hostile tribes have arrived at Suskim and are willing to negotiate for peace. It is reported that Osman Digna has gone to Kordofan.

MINISTERIAL DIFFERENCES IN EGYPT. CATRO, 6th April Nubar Pasha, President of the Council of Ministers, has resigned

CATRO, 8th April. The differences between Nubar Pashs and Mr. Clifford Lloyd, which led to the former's resignation, have been referred to the British Government. POLICY OF THE ERITISH GOVERNMENT

IN THE SOUDAN. LONDON, 3rd April. Lord Hartington, replying to a question in

the House of Commons, said that it was not the Liu Akat, and Kong Asze, servants, were intention of Government to send troops to Berthe property of Corporal Fliteraft, R.E. assistance. Government adheres to its resolu-The prosecutor said that on Tuesday night he tion to evacuate the Soudan. It is inexpedient went to his box and missed the articles mentioned in at present to make a statement of the general

In the House of Commons last night Sir be arrested. They had been employed there Stafford Northcote proposed the adjournment about six weeks, and the defendants had had many of the House, demanding an explicit statement of the policy of the Government in Egypt. Mr. Gladstone in reply, vehemently complained of the unprecedented persistence of the Opposition, John Henry Dare was brought up, on remand, and denied that General Gordon's mission to the on the charge of forgory at Singapore on the Soudan bad failed, but said that on the contrary Since the previous remand no communication cessful. The Lendon press this morning critihad been received from Singapore, and Capt. cize the Ministerial statement as being unsetis-

THE OBSEQUES OF PRINCE LEOPOLD. LONDON, 3rd April. The body of the Duke of Albany arrived at

LONDON, 5th April. The body of the Duke of Albany arrived at memorial chapel with great ceremony, the

LONDON, 6th April, The remains of the Duke of Albany were yes-Queen was present at the ceremony, which was INDISPOSITION OF MR. BRIGHT.

LONDON, 3rd April. Mr. Bright is indisposed, suffering from a slight congestion of the lungs. GREAT FIRE IN PATERNOSTER ROW.

LONDON, 3rd April A great fire broke out yesterday in Paternoster Row and continued to rage for five hours, several houses being completely destroyed and many others damaged, resulting in enormous loss. LONDON, 5th April, The premises destroyed by the recent fire in Paternoster Row are those belonging to Messrs.

Pardon, Son & Co., and Messrs. Williams, and also the new warehouses of Mesars. Faudel. Phillips & Sons of Newgate Street. GERMANY AND RUSSIA. BERLIN, 5th April. A meeting is impending between the Emperor

of Germany and the Czar. THE RUSSIANS AT MERY. LONDON, 3rd April. The Times publishes a telegram in this morning's issue, stating that the Russian ennexation of Merv is meeting with some opposition there, Me

and that a number of Turcomans have in consequence retreated to Afghanistan. THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE. LONDON, 3rd April. Lord Kimborley, replying to a deputation to-day urging the necessity of raising the age of candidates for the Indian Civil Service, said

that experience had not proved that there was

WOOLLEN MANUFACTURE IN INDIA. CALCULTA, 30th March, A farewell dinner was given to Mr. James Thomson, Secretary to the Victorian Commission, yesterday. Mr. Thomson leaves for Australia via Bombay to-morrow. In the course of some romarks, he expressed his opinion that if India liked to establish woollen mills and would utilize Australian wool she would have a splendid future. What she had done in the manufacture

A NEW BURMAH BAILWAY, Rangoon, 25th March. A survey of the proposed line of railway between Basssein and Henzada will shortly be THE REBELLION IN UPPER BURMAH.

Rangoon, 27th March The Kachyen rebels have been signally dedispersed. Mogoung has been re-captured and quiet is restored south of Bhamo. The trade. with Bhamo has been resumed with great briskness. Orders have been issued recalling

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WEDNESDAY, 23rd April. EXPORT CARGO.

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HE 3/3 L. I. American Bark "FRED. P. LITCHFIELD," Spalding, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 10th March, 1884.

FOR VICTORIA, B.C.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

STEAM FOR COLOMBO PENANG, SINGAPORE. ADEN.SUEZ. PORTSAID, MARSEILLES MALTA, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA. N.B CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAM-BURG, NEW YORK, AND BOSTON. THE PENINSULAR AND ORTENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship

"ROHILLA," Capt. W. Barratt, with Her The E. & A. Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this on the 11th Ap for LONDON via BOMBAY and SUEZ the 4th May. CANAL on FRIDAY, the 25th April, at FOUR P.M. Cargo will be received on board until TEN M. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until TEN A.M., on the day of sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be tran-

shipped at Celombo: Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay, without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route via Colombo. For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and Passage apply to the Peninsular & Objectal Steam Navigation Company's Office, Hongkong.

quired to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note bolow. the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. CHEAP RESERVED ACCOMMODATION can be obtained in this Company's Steamers; for particulars apply at the Office. N.B.—This steamer takes Cargo and Passen-

gers for Marsoilles. A. McIVER, Superintendane Hongkong, 17th April, 1884.

MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP CO STEAM TO NAGASAKI AND KOBE, YIA INLAND SEA. Taking Cargo and Passengers for YOKOHAMA LADIVOSTOCK, and KOREA.).

THE "KUMAMOTO MARU," Captain DEUMMOND, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 25th instant, at Four P.M. Cargo received on board and Parcels at the Office up to ONE P.M., of the day of Sailing. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 Freight 'All Claims for Damage must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they

will not be recognized. transhipped to the Shanghai Mail Steamer at [812 Kobe, and for Vladivostock and Korea at Naga- the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Caysaki and/or Kobe. For further Particulars, apply at the Com- N.B. This Packet carries no mails for the pany's Offices, Praya Central, Ground Floor of Mesars. Russell & Co. H. J. H. TRIPP,

Agent. Hongkong, 17th April, 1884.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO LOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, ismailia.port said syrian port NAPLES, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA

BOMBAY. ON THURSDAY, the 1st day of May, 1884, at Noon, the Company's Steamship "YANGTSE," Commandant Lormier, with MAILS. PASSENGERS. SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above

Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon [816 don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon of 30th April, 1884, - Cargo will be received on board until P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 30th April, 1884. (Parcels are not to be sent on board: they must be left at the Agency's

> For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. I. MARTIN, Acting Agent. Honkong, 24th April, 1884.

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U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAILSTEAMSHIPCOMPANY THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U.S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF RIC San Francisco, vià Yokohama, on TUESDAY, Post Cards, each the 6th May, at THREE P.M., taking Passengers Books. Patterns. and Commercial) and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Tarough Bills of Lading issued for trans- Registration portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports.

to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, under 4 oz. weight are charged 5 cents. France, and Germany by all trans Atlantic lines

on the 5th May, Parcel Packages will be considered at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; (3.) The same privileges apply to letters adall Parcel Packages should be marked to addressed to the Private and Non-commissioned dross in full; value of same is required.

For further information as to Passage and No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. F.E. FOS_ER.

Hongkong, 19th April, 1884.

STEAM COMMUNICATION TO · WESTERN AUSTRALIA. THE WEST AUSTRALIAN STEAM-SHIP COMPANY'S Stoamer

"NATAL" Wood, Commander, under engagement with the Straits and Western Australian Govern- Neither the Captains, the Agents, nor the PROPOSED TIME TABLE.

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Leaving Fremantle calling at Geraldton, Sharks Bay, Cossack, Roebuck Bay, and Batavia, 18th 2nd 13th 18th 28th 11th 2nd March May June July Aug. Oct. Dec. Arriving at Singagore, 4th 19th 29th 4th 14th 28th 19th April May June Aug. Sep. Oct. - Dec. SOUTHWARD SERVICE. Leaving Singapore, calling at Batavia, Roebuck Bay, Cossock, Shares Bay and Geraldton, 12th 24th—1st 10th 20th 5th 21st April May July Aug. Sep. Nov. Dec. Arriving at Fremantle. -Soth 11th 16th 25th 8th 30th 8th April June July Aug. Oct. Nov. Jan. The "NATAL" has a remarkably fine Saloon, and also excellent accommodation for Second and Third Class Passengers.

Singapore, 5th February, 1884.

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE AMERICAN MAIL The Pacific Mail steamer City of Rio do Janeiro left Yokohama on the 23rd, and may be looked for here on or about the 28th instant.

THE INDIAN MAIL. The two direct steamers, with the Indian mail, left Calentta on the morning of the 19th April, and are due here on or about the 5th May.

STEAMERS EXPECTED." The Ben Line steamer Benarty left Singapore on the 17th, and is due here on the 24th inst. The E. & A. steamer Tannadice left Sydney

on the 11th April, and is due here on or about

POST-OFFICE NOTICES

The Postal Guide for 1884, revised to date. will be found in the Daily Press Directory. p. 385 large edition, p. 633 small edition. This is the only authorized complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published The Contents and Value of Packages are re- twice each day in our Extra, which is always prired to be declared prior to shipment.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.-Per Douglas, to-day, the 24th inst., at 9.30 A.M. For Straits Settlements .- Per Bellerophon, to-day, the 24th inst. at 11.30 A.M. For Shaughai.—Per Taisang, to-day, the 24th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Heilo, Sandakan, and Kudat.—Per Ama-

tista, to-day, the 24th inst., at 4.30 P.M. For Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, &c., &c., &c.—Per Naples, on Friday, the 25th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Manila.-Per Mindango, on Saturday, the 26th inst., et 10.30 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama,—Per

Kashgar, on Saturday, the 26th instant, at For Shanghai.-Per Fooksang, on Saturday, the 26th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Saigon.—Per Duburg, on Saturday, the 26th inst., at 4.30 P.M.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Robilla will be despatched on FRIDAY, the 25th April Cargo and Passengers for Yokohama will be with Mails for the United Kingdom. Europe and countries beyond, via Brindist; to

> MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Yangtes will despatched on THURSDAY, the late. May, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, via Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India (vià Madras), the Australasian Colonies, Adea, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such letters. HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS. THE PRENCH MAIL.

closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours. Day of Departure. A.M., Post Office opens. 10 a.m., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of

11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 Conts until

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet:— Day of Departure. NOON.-Money Order Office closes. 2.00 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Post-

3.30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely. 3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until time of departure. BATES OF POSTAGE.

10 Cents Do. with return receipt Commercial papers signify such papers as of the United States, via Overland Railways, to though written by hand, do not bear the charac-Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports | ter of an antual or personal correspondence, such in Mexico, Central and South America, by the as invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge is the same as for Books, but all packets of and

Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. such as India, Malta, &c., the postage is 2 cents Officers named above.

> 5.—If from a Soldier or Sailor his class and scription, with name of regiment, ship, &c., must be stated in full. (6.) Soldiers and Sailors have no privileges

> * But not Warrant Officers, viz: - Conductor, Assistant Engineer, Guaner, Boatswin, or Carpenter.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBT

BENGAL, Brit. str., G. Croad.-Adamson Bell CAIRIGORM, Brit. str., Wm. Jack.—Borneo Co. CASTELLO, Brit. str., Chandler -- Russell & Co. CATALINA, British bark., Williams.-Jardine.

BENCLUTHA, Brit. str., H. H. Lunt .- C. M. S. N. DON ENRIQUE, Brit. ship, McAllister.—Morris Dubung, Ger. str., A. Schultz.—Melchers & Co.

LEVI C. WADE, Am. bk., W. H. Bagloy .-NAPLES, Brit. str., J. Thom.—Russell & Co. WELLE, Ger. str., E. Piper.—Wieler & Co. YANWATH, British bark, J. Buick Birley.

For Straits, Colombo, and Bombay.—Per Medusa, on Monday, the 28th inst., at 11.30 A.M.

lon, India, Adon. Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. Australasian Colonies. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Jewellery, &c.,

Day before Departure. 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office

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ing of all printed matter and patternsceases. 3.00 P.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters. 3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until

Papers, per 2 oz. Newspapers & Prices Current, each 2 Cents

SOLDIEES' AND SAILORS' LETTERS RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers, who have 1 (1.) Privates in H. M. Army or Navy, Nonpaid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco commissioned Officers.* Bandmasters, Schoolfor China or Japan (or vice versa) within six masters (not Superintending or First Class) months, will be allowed a discount of 20 % from | Writers, or School-mistresses may send half-Beturn Fare; if re-embarking within one year, ounce letters to the United Kingdom by the an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return English Mail at the rate of two cents (one Fare. Pre-paid Return Passage Orders, avail-penny) each, or by the French Mail at the rate able for one year, will be issued at a Discount of four cents (two pence) each. The postage may of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances be prepaid either in Imperial or in Hongkong do not apply to through fares from China and Stamps, but not by both kinds on the sameletter. (2.) To other places not beyond Great Britain,

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland (4.) The letters must not exceed half an ounce. Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices No handkerchiefs, jewellery, &c., can be sent, in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector even with the ends open.

5.—If from a Soldier description must be stated in full on the letter, Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, the cover of which must be signed by the Commanding Officer, with name of regiment, ship, &c., in full. If to a Soldier or Sailor, his class and de-

> with regard to books or papers, nor can these be propaid with Imperial Stamps.

ments, is expected to leave Singapore for Frementle, calling at Batavia, Roebuck Bay, Cossack, Sharks Bay and Geraldton, as notified below:—

DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessels during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:— ANNA, Ger. ship, F. Schildt.-Order. ATALANTA, Ger. str., Pfaff.—Siemssen & Co.

> Matheson & Co. CEYLON, Am. bk., Barsford.—Russell & Co.

FRANK CARVILL, Brit. ship, Wm. S. Chapman -Captain.

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PUSTAU & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 18th January, 1884. [192]	BAGE, in Jars, and Salt HERRINGS, in tins.	ACCOUNTS of, and DIRECTORIES for IONGKONG— JAPAN— CONTROL OF THE PROPERTY OF T	lrey Shirtings, 7 lbs., per piece \$1.5 rey Shirtings, 8 lbs., per piece \$1.7 lrey Shirtings, 8 lbs., per piece \$1.9 lrey Shirtings, 8 lbs., per piece \$2.6	to 2.75 Lead, IV b, per picul	Cotton, Shantung per picul	100 to 27.50 310 months Por	\$27.00 to 89.00
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ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 5th November, 1883. [2004	WINES AND SPIRITS. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, 1st January, 1884. [18	M. B. M. S. S. Co. H. C. & M. S. B. Co. Indo-China S. N. Co. Scottish Oriental Douglas S. S. Co. Miscellaneous Coast China Marchants' Steamers.	Autonio Munoz April 21 R. Ozoro Bellerophon April 23 Freeman April 22 G. Croad	Brit. str 1397 Remedies & Co. Brit. str 1397 Adamson, Bell & Co. Brit. str 1397 Adamson, Bell & Co. Brit. str 1309 P. & O. S. N. Co.	Harbert Black Hudson Bay Feb. 25	Amr. sh 1576 Macleod & Co Amr. bk — Paslo, Hubbell & Co Brit. sh 1559 Order Brit. bk 1137 Peale, Hubbell & Co	
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Hongkong, 11th May, 1881. NOTICE. UEEN FIRE INSURANCE	Hongkong, 11th May, 1867.	The MAPS and PLANS have again been increased in number. They now consist of	Euxine April 19 Peters Stopani Glencoe April 23 Park Woone 19 Peters Stopani Nov. 28 J. Woone	Brit. str 978 Russell & Co Brit. str 117 H. & W. Dook Co. Brit. str 1900 Jardine, Matheson & Brit. str 281 H. C. & M. Steamboa	& Co La Conton Guiana Feb. 11 Jupiter Feb. 27	Amr. sh 1271 Martin, Dyes & Co Brit. bk 1365 Ker & Co Ger. bk 901 Smith, Bell & Co Span. seh 526 Martin, Dyce & Co	States New York Saigou Halitas
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MORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 20th May, 1881.	Hongkong, 31st January, 1883. [26]	PLAN OF FOREIGN CONCESSIONS, SHANGHAI PLAN OF YOROHAMA.	Kinkiang Kinngebow Kong Bang Kong Bang April 21 R. Jones Kineto Mara April 20 Drammond	Brit. str 288 H.C.& V. Steamboa Brit. str 862 Yueu Fat Houg Jap. str 1242 M. B. M. S. S. Co A. H. str 1275 Melchers & Co	Trieste Affice Reed Mar. 21	Amr. bk 873 Mauland & Co Amr. sh 1177 Smith, Bell & Co	New York
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